

...style, made: it is expected of him. I do assure you that I often do not know when the next dollar is to come from him. I don't see anything in your position that should compel you to live beyond your means. I'm sorry that you are in such straitened circumstances, perhaps, but the old man, glancing keenly around the dimly lighted room, "As I told you, last evening, I've been unfortunate. And then, again, I'm getting to be an old man, and need some one to take care of me; so I made up my mind to come and live with you and my wife. But I suppose it would be impossible for you to take care of a home?"

"Quite impossible, I'm sorry to say, indeed."

"And you are such so, I presume, for you to return on some small portion of the amount loaned you in my prosperous days?"

"At present it would be; but I hope in a no distant day, to be able to pay you both principal and interest," replied Mr. Wilson, in a loud, softly-moderated voice; for he puffed himself in not only always knowing what to say, but how to say it.

"Ha! Where is your cousin John?"

"John Underhill? I believe he's living in Green street, number seven."

"How is he getting along?"

(To be continued.)

NEWPORT DAILY NEWS.

MONDAY, April 13, 1898.

FOR PRESIDENT, ULYSSES S. GRANT.

THE RAILWAY WAR.

The controversy going on in New York between the managers of the Erie and those who control the New York Central road, is not without interest to the people of Rhode Island and Eastern Massachusetts. The New York Central road monopolizes the carrying trade from Chicago to Buffalo, and desires to control the connections west of Chicago with the Pacific Railroad. The managers of the Erie desire to share in this trade, or in other words to destroy this monopoly. It is probably true, that the directors of the Erie road may expect to render profit to themselves, but this is a question between them and the stockholders of their corporation, and one in which the public at large have no interest. The question is, whether the people are interested in whether the monopoly of the carrying trade by railway west of Buffalo shall be held by the New York Central, which means as now interpreted, by Cornelius Vanderbilt. The piece of beef, pork, flour, and grain to be paid in every family depends upon the price of freight over this great thoroughfare. That competition would reduce the price of these necessities of life to the consumer, no reasonable man can doubt. So much for the general question of public interest, but the Southern section of New England has a particular interest in this question. There is a railroad authorized from Boston to the line of Rhode Island near Valley Falls, and there is a road constructed and in process of construction from Providence by the way of Hartford through the Naugatuck Valley to Fishkill on the west bank of the Hudson river. At the present session of the N. Y. legislature application has been made for authority to bridge the Hudson river and Fishkill with the view of connecting the Boston, Hartford and Fishkill Road with the Erie, thus opening to Boston and Providence, direct communication by the way of the Erie road to the west so that New England has a particular interest in the issue of this great controversy. The Erie road and the State of Massachusetts have each made large advances to the Boston, Hartford and Erie road, and when this is completed it is difficult to see what advantage will result to the people of Massachusetts which will not be equally open to be enjoyed by the people of Rhode Island and Connecticut; and so it is, that in this quarrel between Street-Johns, he involved the piece to the poor of the West of life.

All that is asked of Rhode Island to carry out this great enterprise is the poor privilege of building their road from the cave basin in Providence to the Massachusetts line about six or seven miles.

Senator Yates.

The Republican Press of Illinois are calling upon Senator Yates to resign his seat in the Senate. It is alleged that his habits are as bad as Saluberry's. This is as creditable to the press as his habits are disgraceful to the senator. No man who cannot govern his own appetite, whether he be president or police officer ought to participate in making or executing the laws which govern others. The officer who subjects his reason to rum, may be called upon to discharge his most important functions when the rum is dominant, and thus practice a fraud upon his constituents; for he agrees to give them the benefit of his best judgment, and instead disgraces them with the consequences of his rage.

The Impachment trial.

Upon the organization of the Senate yesterday for the trial of the President, Mr. Curtis concluded his opening argument for the defense. Gen. Thomas was then examined for the defense relative to the instructions he had received from the President when appointed Secretary of War. Objection was made to his testifying to conversations had with the President after the appointment had been made, but after a lengthy discussion the Senate, by a vote of 49 to 10, decided to admit the testimony. Gen. Thomas then denied ever having received any instructions from the President authorizing him to use force to obtain possession of the War Office. He was subjected to a severe cross-examination, when he stated in explanation of his threats to recall the military to his aid, that he perceived his appointment authorized him to "expel Mr. Stanton by force. No other witnesses were called, and the Court adjourned.

New Railroad.—The Tidewater & Northern Railway has been authorized, and it is believed that the work of building the road will be completed this summer.

All Sorts.

The citizens of Columbus, Ohio, voted on Monday to build a City Hall, to cost \$125,000.

The Hon. Walter G. Beckwith, of Cass County, formerly a Republican, is proposed as the Democratic candidate for Governor of Michigan.

When a man and woman are made one by a clergyman, the question is which is the one. Sometimes there is a long struggle between them before this matter is finally settled.

Commissioner Rollins says that the new tax bill will save \$600,000 annually, ten per cent. on the last assessment.

Telegrams from California state that the delegation to the Chicago convention will go for Grant and Wade.

Sambo had been whipped for stealing his master's onions. One day he brought in a skunk in his arms. Says he: "Mass, here's de cheap dat stole de onions. Jest smell him bredd."

A Powerful Paroxysm.—During the war a young lieutenant with a brain new shoulder-strap took his seat with a rather plainly dressed lady in one of our railway trains. The following conversation took place between them—the shoulder-strap leading off thus:

"Madam, have you any relatives in the war?"

"Yes, sir, my husband is a soldier in the army."

"Ah, indeed! I am an officer in the army, Madam, and my influence may serve your husband, if I should meet him. What is his name?"

"Ulysses S. Grant, sir."

The young lieutenant ruminated at the next stopping place, too modest even to wait to be thanked.

Chinese Workmen.—The San Francisco Bulletin gives the following sketch of the habits of the Pacific Railroad:

When a Chinaman is killed, the whole gang invariably quit work upon that part of the road. What secret fear or open superstition they have upon this point I do not know. The overseer only knows the fact; they no more pretend to account for it than they do the fact for the first of young chicks taking to the water, or chickens to the dry land. He knows that they always do it. Early last winter a snow-slide overran and buried thirty out of a gang of one hundred. The rest instantly prepared to leave no so much as offering to dig out their brethren, who might possibly be still living beneath the snow. This the white overseer, a resolute fellow, would not permit; but, with his pistol, drove the frightened Chinamen to work digging for the poor fellows. They were all dead except one when dug out. He was in a stream of sweat. His first words were brief, and expressed his impressions. "Too much hot," he said, and prepared to follow his pugnacious companions away from the ghastly scene of the ruins. Yet John is a good and faithful workman, and without him the work would make but little progress.

The proposed Panmattie Dispatch Company of New York and Brooklyn, has for its object the dispatch of the mails of those cities in double quick time, through iron tubes, by air pressure. It is proposed to use small tubes, 12 or 18 inches in diameter, to pass under the city streets in each of which it is to be a wheel to catch the letters dropped and carry them to the post office. It now takes from one to two days to get a letter, dropped into the New York office delivered to its destination in Brooklyn. By the pneumatic method it is calculated that the mails will be transmitted between the post-offices of those cities in five minutes. The tube is to be laid on the street bottom to Long Island.

The Tribune's Washington dispatch of Saturday says: Johnson left his stated cabinet meeting to day. All the Secretaries were there except Mr. Stanton and the Secretary of War *ad interim*, who was writing in the witness's room at the Capitol, to be examined on the trial.

Senators are to be elected in Arkansas, next Tuesday, but it is believed that they will not be here for the next two or three weeks, and that no difficulty can arise relative to their admission while the impeachment case is on, as they will not claim their seats until it is finished.

The Boston Journal says it is feared the Universalists of Weymouth, Mass., may lose their beloved pastor, Rev. Olympia Brown, as she has been offered \$1,000, over and above all expenses, to devote the next year to lecturing upon the enfranchisement of women. Senator Powers pronounced her as good a stump speaker as ever heard, either man or woman, and better than any woman he ever heard. She has done a good work in Weymouth, and proved that a woman can be successful as a minister.

There are now forty four postulates in New York under the charge and control of women regularly appointed as postmasters. It is often the practice, when a man who has held that office dies, to leave the place in charge of his wife or daughter. We have not heard that women do not perform their duties quite as well as men. Women are also now very generally employed in telegraph offices throughout the country.

There would seem to be a good idea in the bill reported in the New York Assembly for the creation of *Station Indicators* for passenger cars. Every traveler knows the inconveniences connected with the present system, by which a conductor rushes into a car and forces the names of the station in an unintelligible fashion, and sometimes forgets to do even this. A very simple piece of machinery in each car that would indicate the names of stations as the trains approached them, would be of great service to passengers.

Singapore.—The Fall River Times says that persons were engaged "to that city" on Saturday in the "exciting" sport of sleighing. As the sleighs were "light" and the sleighers as they glided swiftly by the Editors formed a determination to indulge in the "exciting" amusement on themselves on the "Fourth of July," should the weather prove favorable.

About Home.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY.—The Sunday school connected with Emmanuel church, Howard Smith Superintendent, had a very fine celebration, yesterday. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and emblems suitable to the occasion and the exercises were of a most interesting nature.

The Rev. Mr. Hill, the able and efficient Rector of the church, gave an address, which was followed by the presentation of offerings by the several classes. This feature was of a very interesting character as some of the emblems were very beautiful as well as expressive. The music which was by the School was excellent and appropriate.

We are glad to know that Emmanuel church is enjoying unusual prosperity. The following are the statistics of the school as gathered from the report made at this time:

No. of officers and teachers 26
Scholars 220
Increase since Nov. 1st 50
Average attendance 150
Contributions since Nov. 1st. \$75.46

A CONFESSOR GAVE on a small scale was enacted upon some of our citizens a day or two since. A woman by the name of Kate Blood, pretending to hail from Groton, Ct., came here on Thursday last, soliciting aid for some charitable object. Succeeding in her efforts to the amount of a small sum of money, she immediately invested all in rum, and with some newly formed acquaintances proceeded to have a fine time.

Becoming a vagrant she was taken in charge by the authorities, and provided with shelter and board until this morning, when she was sent by boat to Providence, where she will try to find her way to her friends.

She is a woman of about 50 years of age and a genuine specimen of Irish wit. Being fixed in her determination to proceed to Providence on foot, it was with difficulty she was dissuaded by the wholesome advice of the City Marshal.

FUNERAL OF MR. MARSH.—The funeral services in commemoration of I. W. R. Marsh were held to day at one o'clock p. m. in the Unitarian Church, Rev. C. T. Brooks officiating. The attendance was very large including the Newport artillery in citizens' dress, the teachers and pupils of the public schools and many others who have formed the acquaintance of the deceased, during his residence among us as principal of the High School. At the close of the exercises the body was removed to this Depot where it is to be taken to Vermont for burial.

The death of Mr. Marsh is a severe loss to our community in which he was universally respected as a gentleman and admired as an educator.

EXPLANATORY.—In a weather article, a few days since, we took occasion to criticize, slightly, the professional weather-grubbers who abound in this and every other place, and stated that we had enjoyed a very comfortable winter. The Newport Editor of the Press wonders how that can be, and calls on us for an explanation as to what could make us comfortable in such a season. "We cannot accommodate our friend with a list of all the things that enter into such a result, but can assure him that a good conscience has about as much to do with it as anything. With such an accompaniment a man can get along pretty well even if there is two inches of snow on the ground in April." We trust the gentleman in question will see the point!

NOMINATION FOR MAYOR.—The Republican convention for the nomination of a candidate for Mayor met at the city Hall Saturday evening pursuant to call, and organized by the appointment of Col. W. A. Steadman, President and Henry Hall Jr. as Secretary. On an informal ballot the vote stood for Robert J. Taylor 8, and James Addison 2. The nomination of Dr. Taylor was then made unanimous.

James B. Finch was appointed a committee to wait upon Mr. Taylor and notify him of the nomination. He did so and on his return announced that the Doctor accepted and if elected would discharge the duties of the office. There being no other business the convention adjourned.

BROKEN AT LAST.—The bell in the Congregational church has become so badly cracked that it can be no longer used. Though not of a very melodious sound for some years past, it has been prized at a sort of holy loom, and our citizens will seriously regret its loss. This bell was cast in Oul-lamburgh, Germany, in 1786 and brought to this country during the year following. It is inscribed with the following words:—"Captain Benjamin Pierce, Second Congregational Church of the City of Newport, 1786." It weighs 1,211 pounds.

THE THIRD WARD.—It is reported that Mr. Phillips Simmons declines the nomination for Alderman from the third ward, which was tendered him at the caucus on Friday evening. We are requested to say that this is an error. Mr. Simmons not only accepts the nomination, but if elected will serve his constituents to the best of his ability.

FLOWERS.—See advertisement of F. Kinder in another column. He has just received a fresh lot of fine plants, which are offered for sale at low prices. Give him a call.

PERSONAL.—Rev. C. H. Malcolm who has been on a visit to Washington and Richmond has returned. We would suggest to him that an account of what he heard and saw along the border would be of interest to our citizens.

It is stated that for some time past pistol shots have been heard at a late hour of night in the locality of D'Arcy McGee's residence in Ottawa. This fact is taken as showing that the murderers had long premeditated their crime, and wished to accustom people living near McGee's lodging to the sound of fire arms, so that there would be less chance of curiosity being excited when they should go to work in morning.

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